

EXCUSE
ME.

NAGA-
MUNE.

CHAPTER 2 DRAGON'S
SHIELD

AH,
SHIGEZANE.
YOU'RE
HERE.

CHARACTER APPEARANCE EXPLANATION
AND HISTORY...

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SO OUR
CURRENT
OBJECTIVE
IS TAKING
GOUCHI'S
SQUATSMAN'S
LIFE THEN,
RIGHT?



WELL,
AND
THERE'S
ALSO THE
MATTER
OF TAKING
REVENGE
FOR WHAT
HAPPENED
AT MEDARA.



I
WANTED
TO CONFIRM
OUR PLANS
FROM NOW
ON.

WHAT
ARE
YOU
HERE
FOR
TODAY?



YOU
HAVE AN
UNUSUALLY
COMPLICATED
WAY OF
OPPOSING
HIM...

GOUCHI?
THAT GUY
WHO WEARS
A BIG...!



I'VE
GOT TO

GET
HIM TO
JOIN US!!



He y e e e e e



WELL, WEREN'T WE TRYING TO CAPTURE HIM?

HMM? WHAT IS IT?

WAIT A MINUTE! WHAT'S THAT?

HE'S INTERESTING, YOU SEE.



I'M SURE THAT MAN WILL BETRAY YOU AGAIN!

I'M AGAINST IT TOO ...!

ARE YOU HALF ASLEEP OR SOMETHING?!

HASANYONE YOU IDIOT!

COUGH! GOT YOU INTO A LOT OF TROUBLE BEFORE, AND NOW YOU WANT TO MAKE HIM YOUR ALLY BECAUSE HE'S INTERESTING?!

STOP DOING THAT.

I'M GOING TO TOUCH YOU!

WHY ARE YOU AGAINST IT TOO, NEOCO?



I'LL
DEAL WITH
THAT!

A
LOT OF
PEOPLE WERE
SERIOUSLY HURT
IN THE BATTLE
AGAINST
COUCH!

ANYWAY,
THERE'S NO WAY
YOUR RE-
TAINERS WOULD
ADHERE TO IT.



DATE
DIDN'T
HAVE THAT KIND
OF STRATEGY.
RIGHT? EVEN
KOUSHAOU WAS
SURPRISED
BY IT!

THE
TACTICS
THAT MAKE
THE BEST USE
OF COUCH'S
LAND!

LOOK,
TRY AND
REMEMBER!



DATE
COULD GAIN
POWER OVER
ALL OF COUCH
AT ONCE!

IF
WE MAKE
USE OF YOUR
STRENGTH AND
COUCH'S
INTELLIGENCE,



WE WON'T KNOW IF WE DON'T TRY! DON'T MAKE UP YOUR MIND RIGHT AWAY.

CALM DOWN

LI-LAMA

WHO DO YOU THINK I'M SAYING THIS FORD IDIOT.

I GUESS THAT EVEN YOUR HEAD IS FULL OF MUSCLE!

IT'S NOT LIKE COUCHI WOULD WANT TO COME ANYWAY.



HMM? SO NOTHING'S GOOD BROUGHT! YOU'RE SO STUBBORN!

BUT ...!



HMM?



EVEN COUCHI WOULD MAKE A POWERFUL RETAINER!

TOO...



YES, I'M AN IDIOT! AND THIS IDIOT HAS SUCH SKILFUL RETAINERS SUPPORTING HIM!



YOU'RE THE HEAD OF THE FAMILY! REALISE YOUR STUPIDITY A LITTLE!

YOU ALWAYS SAY SUCH SELFISH THINGS!



I
DON'T
CARE
WHAT
HAPPENS
ANYMORE!

I SEE!
THEN DO
WHAT YOU
WANT!



ISHEIT?

HEHE
IT WAS
NOTHING
TO GET THAT
ANGRY
ABOUT
...



CHASE-
ZANE-
DOND
...



THERE'S
NO WAY
COUCHI WOULD
COME TO DATE
SO EASILY
...!

JEEZ!
MAGAMINE
ALWAYS SAYS
SUCH SELFISH
THINGS! DAMN
IT! HE'S SO
ANNOYING!



THAT'S
NOT THE
RIGHT WAY
TO COME!
WHERE YOUR
LORD'S CASTLE
IS ...



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...



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...



WHAT DO KIDS
WANT WITH ME?

KIDS
...?



We'll be
accompanying
you to Omeri
Castle, so please
accept us!

THING
HAYATE
CYCLINDER
MAGI-HERO
KAGUMI
COLDER
SISTERO

We're twins,
Kasumi and
Hayate!

Masanomi-
sama sent
us to guard
you!



ANYWAY,
HOW ARE
SOME WEAK
KIDS LIKE YOU
GONNA GUARD
ME...?

WAGA-
MUNE
DETA!

HE'S
TRYING TO
MAKE UP FOR
THE ADJUDMENT
WE HAD
EARLIER...?





ALL
THAT'S
RIGHT
...

CAN'T
TAKE ON
MORE
THAN ON
PERSON,
RIGHT?

EVEN
SHAGGIE
-DONG

CHAPT?

BUT...

IT
SEEMS LIKE
YOU'RE NOT
WATCHING
OUT EITHER.

WELL, IT
DOESN'T
MATTER.



I'VE
GOTTEN
TO LIKE
YOU. COME
WITH ME.

KASUMI
AND
KARATE,
WASN'T
IT?

YOU MAY
BE KIDS, BUT
YOU'RE GOOD
ENOUGH TO MAKE
ME DRASTIC BOTH
MY SWORDS.



O-OHAY
...
BUT
THAT'S
...



SHIT
WITH
WHO?

I'VE GOT
SOME
BUSINESS
TO TAKE
CARE OF.

HA, I'M NOT
GOING
BACK TO
CONKOR
CASTLE.



AKI SHURINOSUKE
HIROUGA



ONE
OF OUCHI
SADA-
TSUNA'S
CHIEF
RETAINERS,

AKI SHU-
RINOSUKE
HIROUGA OF
KARWATSUDA.



I'D LIKE
YOU TO
BECOME AN
ATTENDANT OF
MY MASTER,
LORD DATE
MASAMUNE.

I'LL GET
STRAIGHT TO
THE POINT,
AKKI-DONO.



EVEN
IF YOU SAY
THAT ALL OF
A Sudden, I
CAN'T DECIDE
WHAT AWAY

HEY...
WAIT A
MINUTE.



LORD
DATE MASAMUNE
HAS A
HIGH OPINION
OF OUCHI
SADATSUMA'S
ABILITY.

THAT'S
RIGHT.

WAIT...
LORD DATE
WANTS ME
TO BECOME
HIS ATTENDANT?



I SEE.
I WON'T
FORCE
YOU.

BUT
...



I
CANNOT
...
BETRAY
OUCHI-
DONO!



ALSO
HAVE A
DUTY TO
OUCHI-
DONO.

I



EVEN
IF THEY
PROSPER
FOR A WHILE,
THEY WILL
EVENTUALLY
FAIL.

IT
WON'T GAIN
SYMPATHY
FROM
ANYONE.



WHILE
THIS MAYBE
IMPOLITE,
ENOUGH IS A
POWERFUL
FAMILY THAT
HAS SURVIVED
BY BETRAYING
OTHERS
...

THOUGH
THAT MAY BE
SOMETHING
NECESSARY TO
SURVIVE IN
THIS ERA.



BUT
MAGAMINE IS
DIFFERENT...



LORD
MAGAMINE
PROTECTS
HIS ALLIES
WITH ALL HIS
STRENGTH
AND TRUSTS
THEIR.

AS
ONE OF HIS
RETAINERS,
THERE
IS NOTHING
HAPPYER THAN
THIS.



IF YOU
JOIN DATE,
YOU'LL BE ABLE
TO BATTLE IN
AN OPEN AND
TRADITIONAL
WAY...

AS
YOU KNOW,
DATE HAS BEEN
ACCEPTED BY THE
SHOGUNATE AND
IS THE LOCAL
COMMISSIONER
IN OSAKI.



HOW-
EVER
...



AN
FOR
FURTHER
YOU
SHOULD
OVERLOOK
YOUR
DUTY
...

RIGHT,
IT'S LIKE TO
KNOW YOUR
JOBBER
TODAY



IF
YOU
CHOOSE
NOT TO BECOME
HIS ATTENDANT,
YOU MUST NOT
FORGET
THAT

THE
DRAGON'S
CLAWS WILL
LEAVE THEIR
MARK ON
KARIMATSUDA!!



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DATE
MADANOME!
WE'LL
TAKE YOUR
LIFE!



EXPLAIN
WHAT'S
GOING ON.

HEY,
YOU
DAMN
KIDS!





WE'LL
INTRODUCE
OURSELVES
AGAIN.

WE'LL
...

KAGAMI
AND
HAYATE!

SHINOBU OF
ASHIMA

...

ASHIMA
... 77

IF WE
FOLLOWED
YOU, WE'D
BE ABLE TO
GET INTO
YOKESAWA
EASILY

...

AT
FIRST,
WE WERE
ONLY AFTER
SHICEANE-
DORO.



WE'RE
GOING TO
TAKE YOU
DOWN!

DATE
MASAMUNE!

STAY BACK,
YOU TWO!

CHIGE-
ZANE!

OUT OF

MY
WAY!!

PERIOD
WILL
BE
DATE
MAGAZINE!

I'LL
TAKE
MY
TIME
DEALING
WITH
YOU
LATER!

!?



I'LL BE
REWARDED
GREATLY IF
I DO!



YOU
PROBABLY
DON'T KNOW
HOW HARD
LIFE IS FOR
PEOPLE LIKE
US!



THE
FIELDS THAT
WE FARMED SO
CAREFULLY
WERE
DESTROYED
BY WAR!

WE
LOST OUR
VILLAGE
AND OUR
PARENTS
...
THE
ONLY
THING WE
COULD DO
WAS EARN
MONEY BY
KILLING
PEOPLE!



YOU'RE
AFTER DATE
JUST TO GET
MONEY FOR
FOOD?

OH
GODDAMN
!!



THE
PEOPLE WHO
MADE THIS
WORLD!



I'LL
NEVER
FORGIVE
YOU.



I SEE.

THAT'S
WHAT
HAPPENED
TO YOU





SORRY.

I'LL GIVE
YOU MY LIFE.
DO WHAT YOU
LIKE WITH MY
BODY.



....!!

GOT IT,
YOU
TWO?



SO
DON'T KILL
MASAMUNE.

MASAMUNE
IS THE MAN
WHO WILL
LEAD THE WAR-
RING WORLD
YOU HATE SO
MUCH TO
PEACE.



IN
RETURN FOR
THAT, LEAVE
MASAMUNE
ALONE.











DATE
SHOHEZANE!
WE'LL DO AS YOU
SAY THIS TIME
AND LEAVE
MAGAMINE
ALONE!

I'LL
GIVE YOU
SOMETHING TO
EAT AGAIN
... CHAI?

HEY,
COME HERE
ANYTIME YOU'RE
HUNGRY.

TO
THANK
YOU FOR

THE
MEAL...NO
THE TWO
MEALS!







I
NEED YOU,
SHIGEZANE!

IN
ORDER
TO LEAD THE
WORLD TO PEACE,

I
WON'T
FORGIVE YOU
IF YOU GO OFF
AND DIE!



WHAT
A PAIN
...



JEEZ
...



THANK YOU!



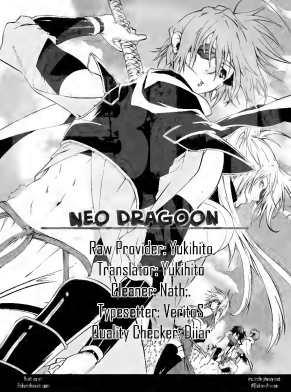
CAN
I ASK
YOU TO BE
MY GUARD
AGAIN?

THIS
IS YOUR
REWARD.

DATE TOGORO SHIGEMUNE IS A
RIGHTHOUS MILITARY MAN.

...
OKAY.

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NEO DRAGON

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